

**MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT**  
**MISSOURI UNEMPLOYMENT RATES**  
**FOR METROPOLITAN AND MICROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREAS AND SINGLE-COUNTY LABOR MARKET AREAS (LMAs)**  
**CURRENT MONTH (MAY 2022), PREVIOUS TWO MONTHS (APRIL 2022 AND MARCH 2022) AND YEAR AGO (MAY 2021)**

	MAY 2022	APR 2022	MAR 2022	MAY 2021		MAY 2022	APR 2022	MAR 2022	MAY 2021
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U.S. (not seasonally adjusted)	3.4	3.3	3.8	5.5	ROLLA (Phelps Co.)	2.7	2.1	3.2	3.8
MISSOURI (not seasonally adjusted)	2.8	2.4	3.6	4.7	SEDALIA (Pettis. Co.)	2.7	2.3	3.4	4.0
<u>METROPOLITAN AREAS</u>					SIKESTON (Scott Co.)	2.5	2.2	3.2	3.9
CAPE GIRARDEAU MSA	2.8	2.2	3.2	3.8	WARRENSBURG (Johnson Co.)	3.0	2.3	3.7	4.7
CAPE GIRARDEAU MSA (MO PT)	2.5	2.0	3.1	3.7	WEST PLAINS (Howell Co.)	3.3	2.7	3.9	4.9
Bollinger	2.7	2.2	3.6	3.9	FT MADISON (MO PT - Clark Co.)	3.0	3.2	3.4	4.5
Cape Girardeau	2.5	2.0	3.0	3.7	QUINCY (MO PT - Lewis Co.)	2.4	2.0	3.3	3.4
COLUMBIA MSA (Boone Co.)	2.3	1.7	2.6	3.1	<u>SINGLE COUNTY LMAs</u>				
JEFFERSON CITY MSA	2.3	1.9	2.8	3.2	Atchison	2.2	1.8	3.0	2.8
Callaway	2.6	2.1	3.1	3.4	Barry	2.8	2.4	3.8	4.3
Cole	2.2	1.7	2.7	3.2	Barton	2.5	2.0	3.1	3.6
Moniteau	2.4	2.1	3.3	3.3	Benton	3.7	3.4	5.3	5.3
Osage	2.1	1.6	2.6	2.7	Camden	3.0	2.8	4.6	4.6
JOPLIN MSA	2.6	2.2	3.2	4.0	Carroll	2.8	2.6	3.8	4.6
Jasper	2.6	2.2	3.2	4.0	Carter	3.4	3.4	5.1	4.3
Newton	2.6	2.2	3.2	4.0	Cedar	2.8	2.1	3.4	3.6
KANSAS CITY MSA	2.7	2.4	3.3	5.0	Chariton	2.1	1.8	3.2	3.1
KANSAS CITY MSA (MO PT)	2.9	2.7	3.9	6.3	Cooper	2.6	2.0	3.2	3.5
Bates	2.9	2.4	4.0	4.2	Crawford	3.0	2.6	3.9	4.4
Caldwell	2.7	2.2	3.8	7.0	Dade	2.3	1.8	3.0	3.3
Cass	2.6	2.2	3.4	4.2	Daviess	2.3	2.0	3.3	4.4
Clay	2.6	2.3	3.4	7.0	Dent	3.3	2.8	4.1	4.4
Clinton	2.7	2.4	3.8	7.2	Douglas	2.9	2.4	3.7	4.4
Jackson	3.2	3.0	4.2	6.4	Gasconade	2.3	2.0	3.2	3.5
Lafayette	2.7	2.4	3.6	5.0	Gentry	2.1	1.6	2.9	2.5
Platte	2.4	2.1	3.1	4.8	Grundy	2.8	2.3	3.6	3.4
Ray	3.0	2.7	4.1	10.3	Harrison	2.4	1.9	3.6	3.8
ST. JOSEPH MSA	2.4	2.0	3.2	3.6	Henry	2.6	2.4	3.6	3.9
ST. JOSEPH MSA (MO PT)	2.5	2.1	3.3	3.7	Hickory	2.7	2.5	4.2	3.7
Andrew	2.1	1.7	2.8	2.9	Holt	1.9	1.5	2.7	2.9
Buchanan	2.6	2.2	3.4	3.9	Howard	2.5	2.1	2.9	3.2
DeKalb	2.3	2.0	3.4	4.0	Iron	4.2	4.1	5.4	5.5
ST. LOUIS MSA	3.2	2.9	3.7	4.7	Knox	2.4	1.8	3.6	3.2
ST. LOUIS MSA (MO PT)	2.8	2.5	3.6	4.7	Lawrence	2.6	2.1	3.3	3.7
Franklin	2.5	2.2	3.3	3.9	Linn	3.0	2.6	4.1	4.5
Jefferson	2.6	2.3	3.5	4.1	Livingston	2.1	1.8	3.1	2.9
Lincoln	2.7	2.5	3.8	4.6	Macon	2.5	2.2	3.5	3.5
St. Charles	2.3	2.0	2.9	3.6	Madison	3.0	2.6	4.0	4.3
St. Louis Co.	2.8	2.5	3.6	4.8	Maries	2.7	2.2	3.4	3.8
Warren	2.6	2.3	3.5	4.3	Mercer	2.2	1.9	3.4	2.3
St. Louis City	3.8	3.6	4.9	6.8	Miller	2.5	2.3	3.6	4.5
SPRINGFIELD MSA	2.4	1.9	2.9	3.6	Mississippi	3.5	3.2	4.3	4.5
Christian	2.2	1.8	2.8	3.2	Monroe	2.8	2.5	4.0	4.0
Dallas	3.1	2.6	3.9	4.6	Montgomery	2.5	2.3	3.5	3.5
Greene	2.3	1.9	2.8	3.6	Morgan	3.0	2.7	4.3	4.8
Polk	2.7	2.1	3.1	3.6	New Madrid	3.1	3.0	4.1	4.6
Webster	2.4	1.9	3.0	3.6	Oregon	3.3	2.7	4.3	5.2
FAYETTEVILLE MSA (MO PT - McDonald Co)	2.7	2.4	3.3	3.9	Ozark	3.5	3.2	4.9	5.0
<u>MICROPOLITAN AREAS</u>					Pemiscot	4.7	4.6	6.2	7.5
BRANSON	4.1	4.1	6.4	6.8	Perry	2.5	1.9	2.9	3.1
Stone	3.8	3.8	5.8	6.2	Pike	2.7	2.5	3.5	3.9
Taney	4.3	4.3	6.8	7.1	Putnam	2.3	2.1	3.4	2.7
FARMINGTON (St. Francois Co.)	3.4	3.1	4.2	4.6	Reynolds	2.9	2.6	3.8	3.9
FT. LEONARD WOOD (Pulaski Co.)	3.2	2.6	3.9	4.6	Ripley	3.4	3.0	4.5	5.3
HANNIBAL	2.5	2.0	3.2	3.4	St. Clair	2.9	2.5	4.0	4.6
Marion	2.5	2.1	3.2	3.4	Ste. Genevieve	2.4	2.0	3.2	3.3
Ralls	2.4	2.0	3.2	3.4	Scotland	2.3	2.2	3.2	2.7
KENNETT (Dunklin Co.)	4.4	4.2	5.8	6.0	Shannon	3.7	3.5	5.2	5.2
KIRKSVILLE	3.5	2.5	4.2	4.5	Shelby	2.1	1.8	3.3	3.0
Adair	3.6	2.5	4.1	4.6	Stoddard	2.9	2.6	3.9	4.3
Schuyler	2.8	2.3	4.8	4.1	Sullivan	2.9	2.8	4.7	4.3
LEBANON (Laclede Co.)	2.7	2.4	3.5	4.1	Texas	3.1	2.6	4.1	4.4
MARSHALL (Saline Co.)	2.6	1.9	3.1	3.6	Vernon	2.7	2.1	3.2	3.3
MARYVILLE (Nodaway Co.)	2.7	1.7	2.8	3.2	Washington	3.4	3.1	4.6	4.8
MEXICO (Audrain Co.)	3.5	3.2	3.6	3.7	Wayne	3.6	3.3	4.8	5.0
MOBERLY (Randolph Co.)	2.8	2.3	3.5	4.1	Worth	1.7	1.4	2.7	2.4
POPLAR BLUFF (Butler Co.)	3.0	2.6	3.8	4.7	Wright	2.9	2.4	3.7	4.1